

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 6076

Mitsuaki KOMINO et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005_1761A

Serial No. 10/556,067 : Group Art Unit 1792

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SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING

DEVICE AND ITS HEATING UNIT : Mail Stop: RCE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 22, 2008, the period for response having been extended for three months by the attached petition, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975